



Hotline

For Returned Volunteers/
From the Office of Domestic Programs

Hot Resources

Highlights

Feel like a fish out of water? Register for an RPCV mentor. For more information, visit www.rpcvmentoring.org.

Online RPCV Career Workshop: Resume Writing 101
Thursday, April 23, 2009
11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m., E.D.T.
For more information, see page 13.

RPCV Career Events: REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!
RPCV Career Events
May 12-15, 2009
Washington, DC
For more information, see page 14.

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Don't Be a Fish Out of Water: Career help from the RPCV Mentoring Program

By Mallory Servais, National Peace Corps Association Membership Intern



Returning from Peace Corps service involves a great deal of hard work, patience, and time. This might not be so bad, if the situation were not compounded with the stress of having to find a job in an unstable economy, attempting to readjust back into American culture, and just generally trying to find a way through life after Peace Corps service. Luckily, Peace Corps and the National Peace Corps Association (NPCA) realize what RPCVs are going through. NPCA and Peace Corps believe that no one should have to navigate the murky waters of the post-service transition alone; this is where the RPCV Mentoring Program comes in.

The RPCV Mentoring Program was founded in 2007 through a cooperative agreement between the National Peace Corps Association and the Peace Corps. The program adds to the base already provided by the Peace Corps' Office of Returned Volunteer Services (RVS) for assisting recently returned Volunteers with their readjustment to life after Peace Corps service.

The Mentoring Program sets up recently returned Volun-

teers, or "mentees," with a mentor - someone who has been home for at least a year and has experienced the transition period. The match provides new RPCVs with someone who has been in the same situation and who genuinely wants to listen and help with the recent returnee's concerns. Interested RPCVs can apply by creating an online profile at www.rpcvmentoring.org, which allows individuals to highlight their needs (mentees) and strengths (mentors). Mentors and mentees will be matched by their local RPCV Mentoring Program coordinator, or by the NPCA. Matches are made based on goals and needs prioritized by the mentee in their application.

For the RPCV especially concerned with finding a job, the RPCV Mentoring Program provides the opportunity for one-on-one career advice and development. This includes advice on volunteer opportunities, help with resume-building, networking and connections, and general career advice. RPCV mentors know what works and what does not work in the job market, and

how RPCV mentees can market their experience with the Peace Corps and use it constructively and to their advantage in whatever career path they choose. Thus, mentors complement the guidance and information recent returnees receive from Hotline and other Peace Corps resources.

Roger Hirschland (RPCV Sierra Leone, 1965-68) used his experiences with his own transition to help his mentee, Jessica Lampron (RPCV South Africa, 2005-08), with her career and life concerns following her return. "I remembered questioning my goals, my opinions of jobs available, and that experience was useful, more than forty years later, in understanding some of the questions and challenges of my contemporary mentee." Roger knows the value of the Peace Corps experience in the life of a returned Volunteer, believing that "if an employer doesn't understand the importance of Peace Corps service, then that's not where an RPCV would want to work."

With the help of her mentor, Jessica was able to evaluate the role of her Peace Corps experience in her life and use it

Public Sector

INTERNATIONAL AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT SPECIALIST •

Various locations

GS-14 positions available with U.S. Department of Agriculture. Duties: serve as an FAS authoritative expert for assigned program(s), advocating support for USDA's global responsibilities for serving human needs worldwide by strengthening food and agricultural systems in developing countries while strengthening U.S. agriculture's international competitiveness and leadership. Qualifications: progressively responsible experience in planning and managing sustainable agricultural development; university degree or equivalent related experience in managing international agricultural development projects; experience in the region required. Deadline: 5/01/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail Mark.Hawthorne@usda.gov; phone: 202.690.1522; website: www.fas.usda.gov.

GENERAL BIOLOGIST • Arlington, VA

GS-12 position available with U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service International Conservation. Duties: serves as staff specialist, liaison officer, and consultant on the many complex ecological, biological, and political problems involved in formulating and guiding intricate conservation or ecological projects with foreign governments, governmental agencies, national and international organizations, and individuals. Deadline: 4/30/2009. For more information and to apply, visit <http://jobsearch.usajobs.gov/ftva.asp?seeker=1&JobID=80254643>.

Private Sector

MANAGER OF INTERNATIONAL OPERATIONS - MARKETING • DC

Position available with U.S. Grains Council. Duties: supports worldwide U.S. sorghum promotion activities; monitors and tracks trade issues and progress in expanding markets. Qualifications: commodity marketing experience in grain merchandising; ability to travel domestically and internationally required; cross-cultural skills acquired during

a minimum of one year international activity; experience in managing programs and events; ability to assess market opportunities and influence grain users/purchasers; university degree in agricultural field. Salary: \$60K–\$90K. Deadline: 4/17/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail employment@grains.org.

DEPUTY PROJECT DIRECTOR, AMERICAN EDUCATORS FOR AFRICA PROGRAM • DC

Position available with IREX. Duties: supports a teacher training program to build the capacity of African teachers and education administrators through an exchange program with American educators; supports USAID development goals in several African countries. Qualifications: seven years' relevant experience working on basic education development, including experience in Africa. For more information and to apply, visit www.irex.org.

PRESIDENT, COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CREDIT UNION • New York

Position available with Neighborhood Trust Federal Credit Union. Duties: promotes economic empowerment among low-income families in upper Manhattan; accountable for all aspects of the credit union, both its social impact and its financial sustainability. Qualifications: five years' relevant experience with solid supervisory skills; strong accounting and financial analysis skills; commitment to community development; bilingual English/Spanish communication skills preferred; desire to develop an innovative business model for a social enterprise. Salary: \$70K–\$90K. Deadline: 4/30/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail jzinkin@cwcid.org; phone: 212.927.5771, ext. 213; website: www.cwcid.org/NTFCU.htm.

PROJECT COORDINATOR • DC

Position available with Consortium for Child Welfare. Qualifications: demonstrated skills in case management, grant writing, project coordination and monitoring, training, and group facilitation; M.D./M.S.W. and current license with two years' experience; experience in HIV/AIDS required; working knowledge of the District's child welfare system strongly desired. Deadline: 6/01/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail aboone@consortiumforchildwelfare.org; website: www.consortiumforchildwelfare.org.

HOT! OPPORTUNITIES

PEACE CORPS CAMPUS RECRUITER • Tucson, AZ

Part-time position available with University of Arizona. Duties: responsible for marketing, planning recruitment events, recruiting, reporting, interviewing, and processing for prospective Peace Corps candidates. Qualifications: must be a returned Peace Corps Volunteer; beginning full-time graduate work in the Fall 2009 at the University of Arizona; ability to work summers part-time; ability to work independently, with minimal supervision from the liaison on campus. Deadline: 4/17/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail pcorps@ag.arizona.edu; phone 520.621.7188.

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION SPECIALIST • Rock Creek Park, DC

Position available with National Park Service. Duties: administers the park's environmental compliance, project review process, and project tracking system for all park-wide projects; coordinates the NEPA compliance process with peers; manages the park's National Historic Preservation Act, compliance process, and reviews EISes and EAs (may be required to write EAs). Qualifications: knowledge of resource management to evaluate proposals to identify impacts and evaluate EISes and EAs; knowledge of federal requirements including NEPA, NHPA, Clean Air/Water Acts, and Endangered Species Act; ability to communicate technical information, develop databases, track information, and manage multiple projects. Salary: \$60,989–\$79,280. Deadline: 4/27/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail jennifer_champagne@nps.gov; phone: 202.895.6003; website: www.nps.gov/rocr.



PROGRAM MANAGER, OUTREACH • DC

Position available with Institute of International Education. Duties: supports and initiates outreach activities for the National Security Education Program Boren Scholarships, Boren Fellowships, and The Language Flagship; manages development and production of outreach materials; works with outside vendors as appropriate. Qualifications: B.A./B.S. required; three years' demonstrated experience with educational institutions and programs; experience and familiarity with U.S. universities; strong experience in marketing, including social networks and Internet marketing. Salary: \$42,500–\$43K. Deadline: 4/24/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail hr-dc@iie.org; website: www.iie.org.

COMMUNITY DIVISION ORGANIZER • Various locations

Positions available with Common Good Finance. Duties: start common good bank community divisions anywhere in the world. Qualifications: courage, integrity, respect, and friendliness; passionate commitment to social and economic justice; enthusiasm about the common good bank idea; ability to work independently and as part of team, ability to work easily with anyone and say things simply and clearly; basic computer skills. Salary: \$10–\$20/hour. Deadline: 6/01/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail info@commongoodbank.com; phone 413.628.3336; website: <http://commongoodbank.com/jobs.php?from=peacecorps>.

PROGRAM ASSISTANT • DC

Position available with Georgetown University-Institute for Reproductive Health. Duties: provides critical administrative and programmatic support to both the communications and the operations teams; provides administrative support to the director and administrative officer. Qualifications: B.A. required, with M.A. preferred, in public health, communications, social sciences, or international development; knowledge of international development, with specific knowledge of family planning and women's health issues in developing country settings desirable. Deadline: 4/30/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail irhrésués@gmail.com; website: www.irh.org.

ENRICHMENT TEACHER (SHERPA) • Rockville, MD

Position available with Trax. Duties: facilitates and plans enrichment activities ranging from the arts and sports to applied academic areas tailored to each staff person's skill set; explores a plethora of topics and shares passion for learning. Qualifications: experience working with school age kids is a must; B.A./B.S. required; ability to engage and excite kids; excellent interpersonal skills; desire to always be raising the bar; exceedingly qualified applicants have ample opportunity for advancement; activity-specific expertise (in any useful area) a huge plus. Deadline: 5/15/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail careers@trax678.com; phone: 301.928.2880.

NATURAL RESOURCES OUTREACH SPECIALIST • Madison, WI

Position available with University of Wisconsin. Duties: provides course development, communications, and project management assistance for multi-state extension programs housed at the Environmental Resources Center (ERC). Qualifications: B.A. with at least one degree in a field that relates to the responsibilities of this position such as distance and e-learning, communications, or adult education. Salary: \$40K–\$45K. Deadline: 4/21/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail ces.jobs@uwex.edu; phone 608.263.1945; website: www.uwex.edu/ces/hr/alljobs.cfm.

COMMUNITY CAREGIVER • Crozet, VA

Position available with Innisfree Village. Position runs one year. Duties: works with sixty members living together in family-style homes on 550 acres; works together with members in our weavery, kitchen, bakery, and gardens. Qualifications: patience; sense of humor; team player; self-starter; flexible; desire to live in community and to live rurally; experience with or willingness to learn how to provide direct care for adults with intellectual disabilities. Salary: \$250/month; room and board; medical coverage; paid vacation. Deadline: 7/01/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail info@innisfreevillage.org; phone: 434.823.5400; website: www.innisfreevillage.org.

COMMUNICATIONS AND OUTREACH ANALYST • DC

Position available with Management Systems International. Position runs six months with

USAID, with a possible extension. Duties: writes materials for the U.S. Agency for International Development on specific projects and programs as part of its marketing and reporting effort. Qualifications: B.A./B.S.; three years' experience; excellent writing and editing skills required; experience in marketing, communications, and/or international development preferable; prior security clearance a plus. For more information and to apply, e-mail recruitment@msi-inc.com; website: www.msiworldwide.com.

MARKET ANALYST • Arlington, VA

Position available with U.S. Wheat Associates. Duties: offers visibility to the U.S. and international grain industry by monitoring wheat market and policy activities; creates weekly price reports and publications; assists U.S. wheat importers; maintains wheat trade databases; produces research projects/presentations; responsibilities increase based on performance. Qualifications: M.A. in agricultural economics and/or relevant grain industry experience/knowledge; strong writing, speaking, and analysis skills; Excel and Access proficiency; language skills preferred. For more information and to apply, e-mail, analyst@uswheat.org; website: www.uswheat.org.

ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR • Various locations

Positions available with CCS. Duties: provide full-time, onsite fund-raising and management consulting services; work collaboratively with executives and client leaders to identify, design, and implement management and development methodologies to prepare for and conduct successful fund-raising campaigns. Qualifications: capital campaign or major gifts fund raising experience and/or transferable consulting, communications, marketing, and strategic planning experience; ability to temporarily relocate for regional assignments may be required. For more information and to apply, e-mail careers@ccsfundraising.com; phone 800.832.3214; website: www.ccsfundraising.com.

PROJECT DIRECTOR, AMERICAN EDUCATORS FOR AFRICA PROGRAM • DC

Position available with IREX. Duties: launches and directs a teacher training program to build the capacity of African teachers and education administrators through an

PEACE CORPS Fellows/USA



Peace Corps Fellows/USA works with more than 50 universities that offer financial assistance to RPCVs who wish to attend graduate school and work in underserved U.S. communities. Below is a list of universities and some of the subject areas they offer. For the complete list, visit www.peacecorps.gov/fellows; call 800.424.8580, ext. 1440; or e-mail fellows@peacecorps.gov.

Bowling Green State University

Bowling Green, OH
Master of Arts in Cross-Cultural and International Education (MACIE). Fellows will work with educational organizations in northwest Ohio. Fellows will receive graduate assistantships that include full tuition waivers and stipends.
Contact: Dr. Margaret Zoller Booth
Phone: 419.372.9950
E-mail: boothmz@bgsu.edu

Carnegie Mellon University

Pittsburgh, PA
Public policy/management, arts management, or healthcare policy management.
Contact: David Eber
Phone: 412.268.2164
E-mail: hznadmit@andrew.cmu.edu

Columbia University, Teachers College

New York, NY
Urban education, including Bilingual/Bicultural Education, teaching of Mathematics or Science (Biology, Chemistry, Earth Science, or Physics), Social Studies, ID/Autism, English.
Contact: Shelly Chin
Phone: 212.678.4080
E-mail: PCFellows@tc.edu

Cornell University

Ithaca, NY
City and regional planning (MS)
Contact: Tina M. Nelson
Phone: 607.255.6848
E-mail: tmn2@cornell.edu

Drew University

Madison, NJ
Master of Arts in Teaching (MAT): Fellows will tutor and teach in the Orange School District. Each Fellow will receive a 40% tuition scholarship.
Contact: Linda Swerdlow
Phone: 973.408.3285
E-mail: lswerdlo@drew.edu

Duke University

Durham, NC
Fuqua School of Business
Master's of Business Administration (MBA) with concentrations in accounting, decision sciences, entrepreneurship and innovation, finance, leadership and ethics, management, marketing, operations management, social entrepreneurship, and strategic consulting. There are also Certificates of Excellence offered in finance and marketing as well as a certificate program in health sector management. Jointdegrees in other professional programs also available. Benefits (financial): up to 25% tuition credit.
Contact: Matthew T.A. Nash
Phone: 919.660.7791
Fax: 919.660.1096
E-mail: mnash@duke.edu

Program in International Development Policy (PIDP) with several concentration options.
Contact: Stephanie Alt Lamm
Phone: 919.613.9218
E-mail: pidpinfo@duke.edu

Sanford Institute of Public Policy
Master of Public Policy (MPP) with option to earn joint degrees in professional or PhD programs.
Contact: Duke MPP Admissions Office
Phone: 919.613.9205
E-mail: MPPadmit@duke.edu

Duquesne University

Pittsburgh, PA
Graduate Center for Social and Public Policy
MA: policy analysis and administration, conflict resolution and peace studies.
Contact: Dr. Evan Stoddard
Phone: 412.396.5179
E-mail: stoddard@duq.edu

Graduate School of Business Administration
MBA/MS/MAcc: sustainable enterprise, information systems management, taxation, accountancy.
Contact: Patricia Moore
Phone: 412.396.5529
Email: moorep@duq.edu

Florida Institute of Technology

Melbourne, FL
Environmental science, engineering, management, teaching, and other areas of education (science, mathematics, computer).
Contact: Dr. Tom Marcinkowski
Phone: 321.674.8946
E-mail: marcinko@fit.edu

Fordham University

Bronx, NY
MA programs in international political economy and development with specializations in international development studies, international banking and finance, international and development economics, and international political analysis.
Contact: Dr. Henry Schwalbenberg
Phone: 718.817.4064
E-mail: iped@fordham.edu

George Mason University

Fairfax, VA
Elementary education and English as a second language master's programs.
Contact: Lynn Walker Levy
Phone: 703.993.3602
E-mail: lwalker3@gmu.edu

George Washington University

Washington, DC
Transition special education, secondary education.
Contact: Dr. Jeanne Embich
Phone: 202.973.1061
E-mail: jembich@gwu.edu

Georgia College & State University

Milledgeville, GA
Various education degrees, creative writing. Teaching assistants, tutors, special education teacher training, community creative writing program. Benefits include tuition waiver, stipend.
Contact: Dr. Dwight Call
Phone: 478.445.0875
E-mail: dwight.call@gcsu.edu

Humboldt State University

Arcata, CA
Secondary education program with placement at Academy of the Redwoods—an early college high school.
Contact: Keri Gelenian
Phone: 707.826.3738
E-mail: kg5@humboldt.edu

Illinois State University

Normal, IL
Applied economics, political science, sociology, with sequence in applied community/economic development, including community project design and management, topics in administration and planning, and 11-month paid professional internship. Benefits include assistantship with stipend and 2-year full tuition waiver.
Contact: Beverly Beyer
Phone: 309.438.7090
E-mail: StevensonCenter@ilstu.edu

Indiana University

Bloomington, IN
Master of Public Affairs (MPA) with choice of nine concentrations, including comparative and international affairs, environmental policy and natural resource management, policy analysis; and nonprofit management. Master of Science in environmental science (MSES) programs in applied ecology, environmental chemistry, and water resources. Joint master degree (MPA-MSES) and combined master degree with other programs also available.
Contact: Jennifer Forney
Phone: 812.855.2840
E-mail: spea@indiana.edu

Johns Hopkins University

Baltimore, MD
Nursing, public health.
Contact: Mary O'Rourke
Phone: 410.955.7548
E-mail: orourke@son.jhmi.edu

Kennesaw State University

Kennesaw, GA (Metro-Atlanta)
Master of Business Administration (MBA) and Master of Accounting (MACC) degrees. Graduate assistantship assignment to work with International Centre and a local Mayan community. Benefits include tuition waiver and stipend.
Contact: Dan Paracka
Phone: 770.423.6732
E-mail: dparacka@kennesaw.edu

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Loma Linda University

Loma Linda, CA
Public health, including global health, humanitarian assistance, and reproductive health.
Contact: Kate Reinsma
Phone: 909.558.4000 ext 42072
E-mail: sphpcinfo@llu.edu

Marquette University

Milwaukee, WI
Master of Arts in Communication, Educational Policy and Leadership, English, History, International Affairs, Political Science, Public Service, Social and Applied Philosophy, or Theology; Master of Science in Civil and Environmental Engineering or Economics; Master of Business Administration. Benefits: full tuition scholarship and monthly stipend.
Contact: Carole Ferrara
Phone: 414.288.5861
E-mail: carole.ferrara@marquette.edu

Monmouth University

West Long Branch, NJ
Master of Social Work (MSW) with concentrations in Clinical Practice with Families and Children and International and Community Development. Fellows will be awarded Graduate Assistantships which include free room and board and 9 credits of tuition remission.
Contact: Dr. Robin Mama
Phone: 732-571-3543
E-mail: rmama@monmouth.edu

New Mexico State University

Las Cruces, NM
College of Agricultural, Consumer and Environmental Sciences (ACES)
MA, MS, MBA-AB, MAG-AB (Master of Agriculture), DED (Doctorate in Economic Development), and PhD programs available. Fellows will intern with organizations such as the New Mexico Climate Center, USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service, or the Navajo Agriculture Products Industry. Benefits include teaching or research assistantship, including an out-of-state tuition waiver.
Contacts: John Mexal
Phone: 575.646.3335
E-mail: jmexal@nmsu.edu

College of Health and Social Services

Degrees in public health, social work, and nursing, plus joint public health and social work degree.
Contact: Dr. Sue Forster-Cox
Phone: 575.646.2183
E-mail: sforster@nmsu.edu

The New School

New York, NY
Urban policy analysis/management, health services management and policy, human resources management, organizational change management.
Contact: Admissions Office
Phone: 212.229.5400, ext. 1130
E-mail: milanoadmissions@newschool.edu

Northern Arizona University

Flagstaff, AZ
Business and accounting. Career tracks in geographic information systems (GIS), marketing analysis and distribution, management, finance, and accounting.
Contact: Jane Thompson
Phone: 928.523.7387
E-mail: mba@nau.edu

Rutgers University

Camden, NJ
Master of Public Affairs in educational policy and leadership with K-12 teaching position at the LEAP Academy.
Contact: Sandra Cheesman-Cattifesta
Phone: 856.225.6860
E-mail: scheesma@camden.rutgers.edu

Seton Hill University

Greensburg, PA
Art therapy (counseling specialization), business administration, elementary education, inclusive education (online), instructional design (online), marriage and family therapy, special education, popular-fiction writing. Benefits: 50% tuition discount.
Contact: Bill Byerly
Phone: 724.838.4209
E-mail: wbyerly@setonhill.edu

Southern New Hampshire University

Manchester, NH
Community economic development, international community economic development, business, National Weekend Program.
Contact: Kathleen Kennedy
Phone: 603.644.3103 ext. 2307
E-mail: k.kennedy@snhu.edu

University of Alabama at Birmingham

Birmingham, AL
Master of Science in Nursing (MSN). Fellows will complete internships in area hospitals and health organizations. Each Fellow will receive a \$5,000 grant for their first year of study and a full-time nursing resident's salary in their second year.
Contact: Cecelia Ohman
Phone: 205.934.5491
E-mail: caohman@uab.edu

University of Arizona

Tucson, AZ
Criminal justice, community development, environment, health, nonprofit finance, public policy, and more.
Contact: Georgia Ehlers
Phone: 520.621.9103
E-mail: rpcf@grad.arizona.edu

University of Cincinnati

Cincinnati, OH
MCP: Economic development planning, environmental planning, international development planning, physical planning, urban design. PhD: regional development planning.
Contact: Johanna W. Looye
Phone: 513.556.4943
E-mail: johanna.looye@uc.edu

University of Colorado Denver

Denver, CO
School of Public Affairs
Master of Public Administration, Master of Criminal Justice, PhD in Public Affairs. Benefits include paid internships and \$3,000 scholarship renewable for two years.
Contact: Dr. Christine Martell
Phone: 303.315.2716
E-mail: christine.martell@cudenver.edu

University of Denver

Denver, CO
Josef Korbel School of International Studies
International administration, international development, international human rights, international studies, international security, global finance, trade, and economic integration.
Contact: Nicole Vilegi
Phone: 303.871.3838
E-mail: nicole.vilegi@du.edu

Graduate School of Social Work

Master of Social Work (MSW) degree with concentration in either clinical or community practice; specialized certificates available in social work with Latinos/as, trauma response and recovery, couples and family therapy, animal-assisted social work and Jewish communal service. Benefits include specialized programming for RPCVs and financial assistance. All applicants to the MSW program are considered for merit scholarships, which range from \$6,000 to \$12,000 per year for full-time students. The MSW application fee is waived. Need-based awards are also available. Those selected for the Peace Corps Fellows/USA program will receive an additional \$5,000 scholarship.
Contact: Dr. Julie Laser
Phone: 303.871.2841
E-mail: julie.laser@du.edu

School of Communication

International and intercultural communication.
Contact: Dr. Margaret Thompson
Phone: 303.871.3947
E-mail: mthompso@du.edu

University of Maryland–Baltimore

Baltimore, MD
Obtain an MSW while doing exciting field work. Fellowship involves working at a community based placement with marginalized populations. A variety of fellowships are available, including assistance for students interested in community development/organizing and policy development.
Contact: Lane Victorson
Phone: 410.706.5316
E-mail: lvictorson@ssw.umaryland.edu

University of Maryland–Baltimore County

Baltimore, MD
Shriver Peacemaker Program
All programs of University of Maryland–Baltimore County: education, policy, applied sociology, intercultural communications, etc. Select consortium programs: social work (MSW), urban studies, nonprofit management, etc.
Contact: Dr. Joby Taylor

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Phone: 410.455.6398
E-mail: joby.taylor@umbc.edu

University of Maryland—College Park

College Park, MD
Degrees in public policy and management, joint degrees in law, business, engineering, and life sciences and conservation biology. Benefits include half-assistantships worth \$6,350 per year, 5 credits tuition remission per semester, in-state tuition rates, and eligibility for other merit-based awards.

Contact: Ms. Taryn Faulkner
Phone: 301.314.2486
E-mail: faulkner@umd.edu

University of Michigan

Ann Arbor, MI
Ford School of Public Policy
Master of Public Policy with 14 dual degree programs. Graduate certificates in science and technology policy also available. Benefits include \$10,000 tuition fellowship for each of two years, application fee waiver.

Contact: Beth Soboleski
Phone: 734.765.0453
E-mail: bsobo@umich.edu

School of Natural Resources and Environment
Master of Science in Natural Resources and Environment with 8 concentration options; Master of Landscape Architecture either through a 2-year program for those with a BLA or a 3-year program for those with other undergraduate degrees. Benefits (financial): tuition stipend.

Contact: Sondra Auerbach
Phone: 734.764.6453
E-mail: sondramr@umich.edu

University of Missouri—Columbia

Columbia, MO
Geography, public affairs, political science, rural sociology, social work, agricultural economics. In-state tuition, possibility for assistantships, waivers and additional support.

Contact: Donald Spiers
Phone: 573.882.6131
E-mail: spiersd@missouri.edu

University of Missouri—Kansas City

Kansas City, MO
Master of Public Administration (MPA) with specialties in urban administration, nonprofit management, and health services administration. Benefits include wages from intern stipend, \$10,000; 6 credit hours tuition remission and possibilities for additional assistance.

Contact: David Renz
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E-mail: renzd@umkc.edu

University of New Orleans

New Orleans, LA
Public administration, urban planning and urban studies with concentrations in housing/community development, land use/environment, historic preservation, urban anthropology, and nonprofit management.

Contact: Dr. Marla Nelson

Phone: 504.280.3110
E-mail: cupa@uno.edu

University of Oregon

Eugene, OR
Community and regional planning, public administration.

Contact: Field Coordinator
Phone: 541.346.2879
E-mail: rare@darkwing.uoregon.edu

University of Pennsylvania

Philadelphia, PA
Fels Institute of Government
Full-time and part-time Master of Governmental Administration (MGA) degree. Certificates in nonprofit administration, economic development & growth, politics, and public finance. Benefits include a minimum of \$6,000 per year award for Fellows and assistance in paid internship placement.

Contact: Michelle Garcia-Navarro
Phone: 215.746.6684
E-mail: garciana@sas.upenn.edu

School of Medicine – Public Health

Master of Public Health (MPH). Fellows will intern at nonprofit, public, and private organizations in Philadelphia and the surrounding area. Fellows receive a one-time \$6,000 scholarship towards tuition and are able to apply for an additional merit/need-based scholarship.

Contact: Karen Kelly
Phone: 215.573.0917
E-mail: pubhth@mail.med.upenn.edu

University of Rochester

Rochester, NY
Simon Graduate School of Business
Master of Business Administration (MBA). Fellows will receive \$10,000 annual scholarships and will be eligible for additional merit-based aid.

Contact: Dan Struble
Phone: 585-275-2515
E-mail: dan.struble@simon.rochester.edu

University of South Carolina

Columbia, SC
Center for Child and Family Studies
Multidisciplinary program (written/oral proficiency in Spanish required).

Contact: Laura Boudon
Phone: 803.777.5190
E-mail: boudon@gwm.sc.edu

Moore School of Business

International business administration, joint degrees.

Contact: Reena Lichtenfeld
Phone: 803.777.4346
E-mail: gradinfo@moore.sc.edu

University of Southern California

Los Angeles, CA
School of Policy, Planning, and Development
Master's degrees in Public Administration, Public Policy, Health Administration, Planning, and Real Estate Development. Some Fellows can study at the Los Angeles or Sacramento campus. Each Fellow will receive a \$10,000 scholarship and is eligible for other

merit-based awards.

Contact: Marisol Gonzalez
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E-mail: marisolr@usc.edu

University of Vermont

Burlington, VT
Community and economic development, entrepreneurship; environment, agriculture, applied economics, management, strategic planning, marketing, public policy, healthcare, leadership, international public administration, human resources, budgeting/finance, organizational development, information technology.

Contact: Ken Bauer
Phone: 802.656.1965
E-mail: Ken.bauer@uvm.edu

University of Wisconsin—Milwaukee

Milwaukee, WI
Nonprofit management, urban studies, economics, geography, history, sociology, political science, English.

Contact: Lisa Heuler-Williams
Phone: 414.229.6155
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University of Wisconsin—Stevens Point

Stevens Point, WI
Fields relating to the environment, including natural resources, forestry, environmental education, youth programming, land-use planning, wildlife, soil and water science.

Contact: Dr. Tim Ginnett
Phone: 715.346.4191
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University of Wyoming

Laramie, WY
American studies with concentration in education, geography, history, or literature.

Contact: Dr. Eric Sandeen
Phone: 307.766.3898
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Western Illinois University

Macomb, IL
Business administration; economics; geography; health education; political science; recreation, park, and tourism administration.

Contact: Karen Peitzmeier
Phone: 800.526.9943
E-mail: pcf@wiu.edu

Western New Mexico University

Gallup, NM
Elementary, secondary, or special education; counseling; educational leadership, interdisciplinary.

Contact: Dr. Patricia Maguire
Phone: 505.722.3389
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Wichita State University

Wichita, KS
Teacher education: middle and secondary grades, art, music, English, French, Spanish, biology, chemistry, physics, math, TESOL (if already teacher-certified), comprehensive social studies, special education (if already teacher-certified).

Contact: Dr. Judith Hayes

PEACE CORPS Fellows/USA



Phone: 316.978.6580
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Xavier University of Louisiana New Orleans, LA

Fast Track to Teaching Program for those interested in teaching math, science, or special education.

Contact: Dr. Renee Akbar
Phone: 504.520.5389
E-mail: rvakbar@xula.edu

Yale University New Haven, CT

MacMillan Center for International & Area Studies
International relations MA with concentrations in history, economics & political science, joint degrees available in forestry and environmental studies, management, law, or public health.

Contact: Alice Kustenbauder
Phone: 203.432.3418
E-mail: international.relations@yale.edu

School of Public Health

In Development: Master of Public Health (MPH). Fellows will complete internships with organizations in New Haven. Each Fellow will receive a minimum of \$5,000 and will be eligible for other merit/need-based scholarships and need-based grants.

Contact: Jacqui Comshaw
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E-mail: ysph.admissions@yale.edu

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exchange program with American educators. Qualifications: M.A.; 15 years' relevant experience, including Africa-based experience. For more information and to apply, visit www.irex.org.

MANAGING DIRECTOR • New York

Position available with Credit Where Credit Is Due (CWCID). Duties: leads financial education and counseling programs serving low-income New Yorkers; balances oversight of existing programs along with innovative program and curriculum design and a goal of program replication; oversees a 15-person staff. Qualifications: three years' supervisory experience; familiarity with field of asset development and/or economic development; experience in adult education, curriculum development, and evaluation; Spanish fluency; committed to mission of financial empowerment; sensitivity to the financial experience of the Latino immigrant community. Salary: \$80K–\$90K. Deadline: 4/30/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail jjzinkin@cwcid.org; phone: 212.927.5771, ext. 213; website: www.cwcid.org.

PROGRAM ASSISTANT • Seattle, WA

Position available with Volt Services Group. Duties: schedules high volume of appointments and meetings; manages complex calendars; makes domestic and international travel arrangements for a leading nonprofit; assists in scheduling and planning for events, such as meetings, conferences, and presentations. Qualifications: three years' administrative experience, preferably in a complex and fast-paced environment; highly developed oral and written communication skills in an environment requiring diplomacy and good judgment; proven track record establishing priorities, taking initiative, and demonstrating pro-activeness. Salary: \$42K–\$50K. Deadline: 5/15/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail [\[www.volt.com\]\(http://www.volt.com\); phone: 425.451.9776; website: \[www.volt.com\]\(http://www.volt.com\).](mailto:creimers@</p></div><div data-bbox=)

REGIONAL PROJECT MANAGER, PROJECT OPERATIONS • Shoreview, MN

Position available with Land O'Lakes International Development. Duties: provides operational management to global projects; ensures that staff follows policies and procedures while adhering to U.S. government rules and regulations; collaborates with regional directors and chief of parties; interfaces with subcontractors and technical representatives of donor parties; liaises between field and headquarters. Qualifications: B.A. in international relations, political science, business or related field; ten years' experience and relevant education; strong project management skills; advanced skills and experience with MS Office; ability to learn additional software packages; willing to travel overseas. Deadline: 7/31/2009. For more information and to apply, visit www.landolakesinc.com.

PROJECT COORDINATOR • OR

Position available with Resource Assistance for Rural Environments (RARE). Duties: assists in the development and implementation of projects relating to community development, natural resource planning, policy coordination, and delivery of services. Qualifications: ability to commit 1700 hours of service over 11 months; B.A.; six months' work experience; interest in serving rural Oregon. Salary: \$1500/month. Deadline: 5/15/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail rare@uoregon.edu; phone: 541.346.2879; website: <http://rare.uoregon.edu>.

BEST PRACTICES UTILIZATION ADVISOR • DC

Position available with Global Health Fellows Program. Duties: helps research utiliza-

tion team promote approaches to increasing the use of research produced by cooperating agencies; identifies emerging research findings with significant programmatic implications. Qualifications: M.A. in public health or related field; five years' relevant work experience in health service delivery and/or policy programs abroad. Deadline: 5/04/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail ghfprecruitment@ghfp.net; website: www.ghfp.net/recruitment.

COMMUNICATIONS OFFICER • Takoma Park, MD

Position available with Handicap International. Duties: raises profile in the U.S. in support of ongoing fundraising and advocacy work; develops creative channels for communicating the impact of work to potential donors and the general public; responsible for press relations, planning, and implementing outreach and advocacy events; oversees website and ensures that web content supports and enhances fund raising activities. Qualifications: French fluency preferred; willingness to travel; B.A. Salary: \$30K–\$35K. Deadline: 4/30/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail recruitment@handicap-international.us; phone: 301.891.2138; website: www.handicap-international.us.

HIV COMMUNICATION TECHNICAL ADVISOR • DC

Position available with Population Services International. Duties: serves as one of the department's key points of contact for behavior change communication technical support; works with the senior HIV communication technical advisor and other members of the HIV department to provide technical support to programs globally; improves the quality of existing program implementation. Qualifications: M.A. in public health, health communication, social marketing, or relevant discipline; three years' professional experience in

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Eastern Caribbean

Diabetes is the number one cause of death in St. Lucia. The results of a recent analysis carried out by Universal Health Care showed that St. Lucia has the per capita highest number of cases in the world, eight times higher than the next country. **The St Lucia Diabetic & Hypertensive Association (SLDHA)** seeks a Volunteer with NGO management experience to strengthen the institutional capacity of the SLDHA and improve outreach to targeted community groups to reduce the prevalence of diabetes and hypertension in St. Lucia.

For more details and to apply, visit
www.peacecorps.gov/response

Guyana

The **National Blood Transfusion Service** in Guyana is requesting a PC Response Volunteer to assist with strengthening the blood safety program. The Volunteer will take the lead in developing a framework to extract hemovigilance data from the existing quality system for the purpose of improving blood bank services.

For more details and to apply, visit
www.peacecorps.gov/response

Panama

The **Association of Ngobe Organic Coffee Growers (ASCON)** has requested an Agroforestry Volunteer to assist with improving their coffee production. The assignment is for six months and the Volunteer will live in a rural indigenous community on a reservation. There is extreme poverty found in indigenous reservations and many Ngobe farmers do temporary work on local coffee plantations to supplement their incomes. While many farmers already have basic knowledge on how to cultivate and produce quality coffee, they lack the extra boost of technical know-how that will allow them to better compete in the national and international coffee markets. A Peace Corps Response Volunteer (PCRVR) is being requested to perform the following duties and responsibilities: Conduct an analysis of each ASCON member's farm detailing the current agricultural practices in use and the strengths and weaknesses of each farm; create a coffee work calendar with ASCON

members to guide them in weekly, monthly, and yearly plant care and coffee production activities; educate rural farmers on the importance of organic goods production and how they can reduce production costs while at the same time bettering coffee production; conduct weekly workshops to train farmers in coffee drying techniques, worm composting, organic fertilizers, shade trees, as well as in alternative farming techniques that minimize the environmental impact.

For more details and to apply, visit
www.peacecorps.gov/response

Philippines

The **Habitat for Humanity Foundation, Inc. (HFHP)** is requesting one Peace Corps Response volunteer to develop and implement a marketing plan targeting potential overseas donors, which will support HFHP's existing resource mobilization system. The PCRVR will be responsible for analyzing and identifying resource mobilization strategies of global, regional, and development partners; reviewing HFHP's overall program implementation and accomplishments; developing and implementing an overseas marketing strategy for HFHP; establishing systems for communication with prospective and existing donors; developing new online and offline marketing support packages and materials; conducting an orientation/briefing for key HFHP staff upon completion of the project; and developing a fundraising proposal template with the objective of generating new partnerships.

Stairway Foundation, Inc. (SFI) is a resource center for the protection and promotion of children's rights. Stairway is in the process of renovating and expanding its residential and training facilities and is requesting a Peace Corps Response Volunteer to develop an overall plan and design a complex that is functional and conducive for therapy, education, training, and physical as well as mental development. The PCRVR will be responsible for developing an overall plan and design for the Resource Center complex to include topography, sewage, plumbing, and electrical plans. In addition, the PCRVR will be asked to map out topography and vegetation on Stairway's mountain property (10 hectares), and give suggestions for the development of a future school for the indigenous people on the site.

The Gawad Kalinga Community Development Foundation, Inc. (GK) is requesting four Peace Corps Response volunteers to create site development plans and community infrastructure designs to rehabilitate existing informal settler communities within Metro Manila. The purpose of the project is to transform settler communities into safer and more secure environments for residents and visitors alike, and to transform existing slum communities into decent communities. In close collaboration with the partnering organization, the PCRVRs will be responsible for reviewing previous and current project implementation; designing site-specific infrastructure and a site development plan; presenting designs for approval of all stakeholders; providing technical assistance; and supervising project implementation to ensure that designs are strictly followed to maintain proper safety standards.

Taw-Kabui for a Child, Incorporated is a non-governmental, faith-based and community-based center for special children in Puerto Princesa City. The organization is requesting a Peace Corps Response Volunteer to develop the capacity of teachers at the Center to effectively use accepted SPED methods, strategies, and techniques to support the educational development of children with learning disabilities. The PCRVR will work daily at the Center to provide technical assistance on the knowledge, attitude, and skills required to teach special children to co-teachers through demonstrations and focus group discussions. The PCRVR will also be responsible for preparing and developing program materials and a teaching guide with the teachers; reviewing and enhancing Individual Educational Plans for teachers; and enhancing assessment and evaluation materials for the children and their parents.

For more details and to apply, visit
www.peacecorps.gov/response

Swaziland

A Peace Corps Response Volunteer (PCRVR) is being requested to work with the **Ministry of Education** to improve the training of primary school teachers. The high incidence of HIV/AIDS in Swaziland has severely crippled the education system and has led to a large loss of teachers. It is hoped that the PCRVR will contribute to improving the delivery of primary educa-

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tion in the medium- to long-term. The volunteer will be based at a Teacher Training College and will serve as a teacher educator/teacher trainer.

The Ministry of Education in Swaziland has requested a Peace Corps Response Volunteer (PCRV) to work with their INSET (In-Service Teacher Education and Training) Department as an Instructor and Teacher Resource Center Coordinator. INSET provides primary school teachers with in-service training courses in an effort to raise the quality of classroom teaching. There are approximately 12 trainers currently working under the INSET director and in close cooperation with the inspectorate and other education service providers. The focus of the PCRV's assignment is to influence the quality of INSET courses by upgrading trainers' capacity to deliver INSET courses. The emphasis would be on improving training methodology

in general, assisting in efforts to align teacher education with a "modern" concept of (primary) education to support the development/flourishing of a knowledge-based economy, conducting needs assessment activities, following-up on the results of training activities at the school and classroom levels, and more.

For more details and to apply, visit www.peacecorps.gov/response

Uganda

UWESO, a local NGO in Uganda, is requesting a Peace Corps Response Volunteer to provide capacity building assistance to strengthen the organization's core programming needs. The Volunteer would be responsible for providing expertise in developing a comprehensive busi-

ness plan, assessing the needs of UWESO's primary projects in order to promote sustainability through fundraising efforts, and assisting with building partnerships with potential donors and other stakeholders to ensure continued programming effectiveness.

Straight Talk Foundation in Uganda is requesting a Peace Corps Response Volunteer to provide assistance to the Gulu Youth Center (GYC) in the Gulu District of northern Uganda. The youth center is charged with providing adolescent-friendly services to youth in HIV/AIDS education and prevention. The Volunteer will provide support and strengthening through capacity building activities

For more details and to apply, visit www.peacecorps.gov/response

How to Apply

For additional assignments and more detailed descriptions of these assignments, including the required qualifications, visit the Peace Corps Response website at www.peacecorps.gov/response; or call 202.692.2250 or 1.800.424.8580, ext. 2250. Applications can be completed online at www.peacecorps.gov/response.

Send Peace Corps Response application, résumé, and Description of Service (if available) to pcresponse@peacecorps.gov; fax: 202.692.2251; address: Peace Corps - Peace Corps Response, 1111 20th Street NW, Washington, DC 20526. To be considered for a specific assignment, indicate the position title on the cover letter or application.

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the design, implementation, and support of health communication programs, including both mass media and IPC field experience in communication programming; ability to travel. Deadline: 5/24/2009. For more information and to apply, visit www.psi.org.

FINANCIAL EDUCATOR / COUNSELOR • New York

Position available with Credit Where Credit Is Due (CWCID). Duties: manages a portfolio of community partnerships, delivering a range of personal finance education and counseling services. Qualifications: Spanish fluency; excellent teaching/training skills; business, finance, or financial education experience; status as certified financial planner or commitment to this certification process (CWCID invests in this process for its financial education staff); commitment to community economic development. Salary: \$40K-\$45K. Deadline: 5/15/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail zjinkin@cwcid.org; phone: 212.927.5771, ext. 213; website: www.cwcid.org.

RANCH HAND • Bristow, NE

Position available with EU Ranch. Duties: performs general ranch work. Qualifications: desire to learn. Deadline: 4/30/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail paulallen44@hotmail.com; phone: 402.583.9924.

BILINGUAL CLINIC FRONT DESK COORDINATOR (ON-CALL) •

Portland, OR

Position available with Outside In. Duties: coordinates front desk reception and patient intake for medical home for a diverse population; provides assistance and referrals to clients as a part of a multi-disciplinary, harm-reduction medical team. Qualifications: Spanish or Mandarin proficiency; experience working with under-served populations; ability to multi-task and retain accuracy and attention to detail; medical background preferred. Salary: \$13.25/hour. For more information and to apply, e-mail apply@outsidein.org; website: www.outsidein.org.

FORESTER • Wellpinit, WA

Position available with Spokane Tribe of Indians. Duties: designs, implements, and processes data for timber cruises; appraises timber; prepares timber sales contracts; prepares prescriptions and layout of treatment areas. Qualifications: B.S. in forestry; driver's license and insurability. Salary: \$36K-\$48K. Deadline: 5/08/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail thensold@spokanetribe.com; phone: 509.626.4447; website: www.spokanetribe.com/jobs.php.

DIRECTOR OF AGENCY • Denver, CO

Position available with The Drop-In Center. Duties: manages and supervises all programs in a public health agency serving injection drug users. Qualifications: experience in harm reduction; HIV and HCV knowledge; experience running an agency; degree preferred. Salary: \$40K. Deadline: 4/30/2009. For more information, e-mail mxwhe@yahoo.com; phone: 720.404.1686.



International

LEAPNOW TRIP LEADER •

India, South America

Position available with LEAPNOW Transforming Education. Duties: leads groups of 17 to 22 year-olds internationally on a transformative educational program. Qualifications: experience leading groups of young adults; travel experience in India, Ecuador, Peru, Guatemala, or Uganda. Salary: \$2,500/10-week semester. For more information and to apply, e-mail siri@leapnow.org; website: www.leapnow.org/employment.php.

MALARIA PROGRAM MANAGER •

Juba, Sudan

Position available with Population Services International. Duties: provides support to global mission and lead role as the global fund principal recipient for South Sudan's main malaria control activity; leads the development, implementation, and evaluation of country-wide long lasting insecticide net distribution, introduction, and promotion of ACT. Qualifications: M.A. in business administration, public affairs, international relations, public health, or related discipline; five years' experience in general management, with three years' experience in a difficult environment with complex programs; experience developing and managing government relationships; excellent diplomatic, presentation, and oral/written communication skills. Deadline: 5/24/2009. For more information and to apply, visit www.psi.org.

PROJECT DIRECTOR •

Johannesburg, South Africa

Position available with Population Services International. Duties: implements social marketing and international health programs. Qualifications: ten years' personnel and financial management experience, preferably in commercial marketing, advertising, or communications; five years' work experience in a developing country; demonstrated strengths in strategic organizational leadership; M.A. in related field; applied knowledge of international development. Deadline: 5/23/2009. For more information and to apply, visit www.psi.org.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE INSTRUCTOR •

Dili, East Timor

Position available with Lorosae English Language Institute. Duties: teaches at government ministries and local NGOs. Responsibilities:

plans, develops, and teaches ESL classes to meet clients' needs, including English for administrative purposes and academic purposes. Qualifications: familiarity with development work and human resources capacity-building; interest in working in Timor-Leste; B.A. or higher; CELTA, TEFL, applied linguistics, English, or other relevant qualification. Salary: \$23,400–\$28,600. Deadline: 6/15/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail lelirecruitment@gmail.com; phone: 670.736.4312.

MARKETING/IPC TECHNICAL ADVISOR •

Karachi and Islamabad, Pakistan

Position available with Population Services International. Duties: advises on behavior change campaigns, marketing, and interpersonal communications; advises Greenstar to improve marketing plans, strategic planning, and use of research; assists and advises Greenstar's marketing and team leaders in planning, budget development, and monitoring. Qualifications: M.B.A., M.P.H., Ph.D., M.A., or related degree and/or equivalent experience; two years' work experience in developing country; significant management, marketing, and/or communications work experience; strong marketing and research-based decision making skills. Deadline: 5/25/2009. For more information and to apply, visit www.psi.org.

PROGRAM SUPPORT TECHNICAL ADVISOR, PAKISTAN •

Islamabad or Karachi, Pakistan

Position available with Population Services International. Duties: provides technical, strategic, and management support for new and existing social franchises; maintains relations with donor, government, NGO, and commercial entities; supports new business development, proposal writing, and capacity building for local staff, including local travel as needed; monitors contract compliance. Qualifications: relevant post-graduate or equivalent experience; two years' work experience in developing country; experience in managing international maternal child health and/or family planning programs; significant personnel and financial management experience. Deadline: 5/25/2009. For more information and to apply, visit www.psi.org.

HEALTH SERVICES TECHNICAL ADVISOR •

Karachi or Islamabad, Pakistan

Position available with Population Services International. Duties: responsible for providing programmatic support to family plan-

ning and maternal child health programs within Greenstar; works in close collaboration with Greenstar's senior management to improve the quality and productivity of the Greenstar and Goodlife private provider franchise. Qualifications: M.A. in relevant field or equivalent experience; M.D., M.P.H., or M.B.A. preferred; five years' experience in management and/or clinical practice; management of public health programs, franchising, or public health communications programs preferred. Deadline: 5/25/2009. For more information and to apply, visit www.psi.org.

GENDER BASED VIOLENCE

COORDINATOR • Uganda

Position available with International Rescue Committee. Duties: responsible for strategy development, program design, implementation, standardization, and evaluation of all activities within the country program; strengthens the sector and provides technical oversight. Qualifications: M.A. in social work, social sciences, public health, community health, or related field; three years' experience working in the field of gender-based violence, protection, gender, or human rights in conflict-affected areas, ideally in Africa. For more information and to apply, visit www.theirc.org/jobs.

TERRITORIAL AUDITOR •

American Samoa

Position available with American Samoa Government. Position runs two years. Duties: plans, organizes, and performs fraud, compliance, and performance audits of government agencies; manages and trains staff of five auditors. Qualifications: CPA required; extensive audit and management experience. Salary: \$100K; housing; vehicle. Deadline: 4/30/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail jkachmarik@msn.com.

COMMUNICATIONS AND MARKETING TECHNICAL ADVISOR •

Cambodia

Position available with Population Services International. Duties: plays lead role in converting marketing ideas, concepts, and theory into programmatic reality and impact with teams; leads strategic thinking with teams through the development of actionable marketing plans for products, services, and communications, including market strategies that ensure donor resources target the vulnerable. Qualifications: M.A. in related field;



two years' work experience in a developing country; private sector marketing experience preferred; exceptional understanding of marketing principals and concepts and how they can be applied to real markets; strong quantitative and qualitative research skills. Deadline: 5/25/2009. For more information and to apply, visit www.psi.org.

SUMMER SCHOOL TEACHER • Siem Reap, Cambodia

Position available with Jay Pritzker Academy. Position runs the month of July. Duties: teaches summer school to Cambodian students. Salary: \$900 stipend. Deadline: 5/31/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail lisaarthur@jpa.org.kh; phone: 855.092.753.420; website: www.jpa.org.kh.

CHIEF OF PARTY, RECONSTRUCTION AND STABILIZATION • Eastern Congo

Position available with ARD, Inc. Qualifications: expertise in peace-building, reconciliation, community-driven reconstruction, and livelihoods restoration; familiarity with protection issues for internally displaced people; must work effectively with host government authorities, USG and UN agencies, and NGOs; experience in the Great Lakes region of Africa and post conflict environments; experience initiating and managing consultation/negotiation processes involving multiple stakeholders; experience in institutional strengthening and capacity building in conflict prevention, management, and mitigation; USAID project management experience; strong team leadership and ability to manage under complex and stressful conditions; demonstrated history of providing deliverables on time and within budget; M.A. or equivalent in relevant field; six years' field experience; French fluency, proficiency in Kiswahili preferred. Deadline: 4/30/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail kblodgett@ardinc.com; website: <http://www.ardinc.com>.

HEALTH MANAGER • South Sudan

Position available with International Rescue Committee. Duties: serves as focal point for primary health care services in either Unity or Northern Bahr el Ghazal State; ensures the implementation of a quality health program. Qualifications: health professional with strong public health background; experience coordinating, implementing, and managing health programs in developing countries and/

or refugee settings. For more information and to apply, visit www.theirc.org/jobs.

SENIOR REGIONAL TECHNICAL ADVISOR FOR HIV/AIDS

PREVENTION • Pretoria, South Africa
Position available with Global Health Fellows Program. Duties: supports the design, implementation, and evaluation of HIV/AIDS programs throughout the region; provides technical assistance in areas relating to primary prevention and behavioral change, data analysis and use, strategic planning, and implementation. Qualifications: M.A. in public health or related field; ten years' experience in international HIV/AIDS programs; three years' HIV/AIDS programming experience in developing countries/resource poor setting; ability to obtain medical clearance to live and work in South Africa; Deadline: 4/30/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail ghfprecrutment@ghfp.net; website: www.ghfp.net/recruitment.

CIVIL SOCIETY TECHNICAL ADVISER • South Sudan

Position available with International Rescue Committee. Duties: responsible for the coordination and provision of technical support to the lead agencies working under the Sudan health transformation program and their national civil society partners. Qualifications: five years' relevant overseas work experience in program management and development with community driven and partnership approaches in a post conflict setting; experience in development training materials and tools for organizational capacity building. For more information and to apply, visit www.theirc.org/jobs.

TECH TRAINER • Belize

Temporary positions available with Peace Corps. Positions run July through October. Duties: trains volunteers in education, business and organization management, healthy communities, and youth development. Qualifications: previous Peace Corps or training experience preferred. Salary: \$2,500/month; housing; transportation to and from Belize included. Deadline: 4/30/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail abelot@peacecorps.gov.

ENGLISH TEACHER • Seoul, South Korea

Position available with Footprints Recruiting. Position runs one year. Duties: teaches English at a public school. Qualifications:

B.A.; teaching experience preferred; experience with kids preferred; education major, elementary education major, English major, or secondary education major. Salary: \$1,374–\$2,060. Deadline: 7/20/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail careers@footprintsrecruiting.com; phone: 604.677.6556; website: www.footprintsrecruiting.com.

INTERNATIONAL INTERN/VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR • Dar es Salaam, Tanzania

Position available with The Roots & Shoots program of the Jane Goodall Institute. Duties: coordinates selection and scheduling of interns; lives with volunteers and assists with the management of the intern house; works with staff to coordinate training for interns; supports interns who are placed in regions outside of Dar es Salaam; helps train local counterparts. Qualifications: experience in volunteer management, community development, teaching, environmental science, or youth development preferred; experience living and working in a developing country required; experience in East Africa or Tanzania strongly preferred; Swahili fluency preferred. Deadline: 5/29/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail mnelson@janegoodall.org; phone: 703.682.9220; website: www.janegoodall.org/about-jgi/worldwide-opportunities.asp.

PROJECT MANAGER, WEST AFRICAN COCOA LIVELIHOODS PROJECT • Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire

Position available with TechnoServe. Duties: helps start and implement a cocoa livelihoods project funded by a private foundation and industry members in Côte d'Ivoire and Ghana. Qualifications: M.A. in business, economics, agriculture, or related field; ten years' experience in agricultural value chains, rural development, and/or rural finance; five years' experience in a francophone West African country; broad expertise in cocoa. Salary: \$100K. Deadline: 4/30/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail work@tns.org; phone: 202.785.4515; website: www.technoserve.org.

ENGLISH TEACHER • Kurdistan Region, Iraq

Position available with American University of Iraq. Position runs one to two years. Duties: teaches basic to pre-academic in one of four levels; contributes to vibrant, collegial faculty. Qualifications: TOEFL/EFL experience; enthusiasm, spontaneity, and energy; M.A. preferred; commitment to contributing



to the academic success of Iraq's new generation of leaders. Salary: \$60K. Deadline: 5/01/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail rosalind.warfield@auis.org; phone: 96.407.704.615.280; website: www.auis.org.

PROGRAM ASSOCIATE •

Kenya and Rwanda

Position available with One Acre Fund. Duties: serves in a position that combines both field and management experience in Africa. Qualifications: B.A./B.S.; French fluency for Rwanda position; proven project management skills; strong leadership skills and humble approach to service; willingness to commit to one year living in rural Rwanda or Kenya. Deadline: 5/15/2009. For more information and to apply, send résumé and cover letter to 330 Myrtle Street, Redwood City, CA 94062; e-mail: paul.youn@oneacrefund.org; website: www.oneacrefund.org.

WASH TECHNICAL ADVISER •

South Sudan

Position available with International Rescue Committee. Duties: responsible for the coordination and provision of technical support to the lead agencies working under the Sudan Health Transformation program; coordinates, identifies, and shares best practices. Qualifications: B.A. in civil/environmental engineering or water sanitation and hygiene related field; M.A. qualifications in environmental health or related field; experience in supporting decentralization efforts for delivery of basic WASH services. For more information and to apply, visit www.theirc.org/jobs.

Intern/Volunteer

VIDEOGRAPHY INTERN • DC

Internship available with IREX. Duties: collects materials from program staff; collects video interviews; develops narration; creates short video productions that convey the essence of projects on YouTube. Qualifications: experience with Mac I-video/Final Cut Pro and Pinnacle Studio 12 video editing software; experience creating short documentary-style videos to post on YouTube; interest in international development projects; strong public relations writing skills for the web; strong research and writing skills; excellent interpersonal and organizational skills; excellent attention to detail. Salary: \$12/hour. For more information and to apply,

send resumes and cover letters to resumes@irex.org with subject EPD/Intern/SA; fax: 202.628.8189; website: www.irex.org.

GRANTS VOLUNTEER • Kenya

Position available with International Rescue Committee. Duties: contributes to efficient grants management including proposal development, reporting, and grants monitoring roles. Qualifications: B.A.; computer skills in Microsoft Word, Excel, Internet; ability and willingness to learn and work with teams based in Nairobi and field sites. For more information and to apply, visit www.theirc.org/jobs.

ORGANIC FARM INTERNSHIP •

Paonia, Colorado

Position available with The Living Farm. Duties: learns how to care for the animals and how to maintain and manage greenhouses for year-round vegetable production. Qualifications: physical strength, patience, and creativity; willingness to commit to a six-day work week; sense of humor. Deadline: 10/01/2010. For more information and to apply, e-mail lynn@thelivingfarm.org; phone: 970.527.3305; website: www.thelivingfarm.org.

Education

GRADUATE OPPORTUNITIES •

Various locations

140 National Science Foundation sponsored programs across the country seek students interested in pursuing graduate degrees in the areas of science, mathematics, engineering, and technology. Integrative Graduate Education Research and Traineeships (IGERT) programs equip Ph.D. scientists and engineers with the technical, professional, and personal skills needed to meet the career demands of the future. \$30,000 annual stipend plus waiver of tuition and fees. For more information and to apply, e-mail questions@igert.org; phone: 866.593.9103; website: www.igert.org.

MS IN PEACE OPERATIONS AT GEORGE MASON UNIVERSITY • Arlington, VA

Students are challenged to tackle a wide range of issues such as provision of humanitarian assistance, repatriation, or resettlement of refugees and IDPs, conducting elections and building democracy, establishing the rule of law, and demobilization, disarmament, and

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M.D. DEGREE, INTERNATIONAL HEALTH • Beer-Sheva, Israel

The Medical School for International Health (MSIH) is a collaboration between Ben-Gurion University of the Negev Faculty of Health Sciences and Columbia University Medical Center to graduate doctors with special skills in primary care and community, preventive, and population-based medicine. Qualifications: one year of physics; one year of biology; two years of chemistry; MCAT; interest in international health. For more information and to apply, e-mail bgcu-md@columbia.edu; phone: 212.305.9587; website: <http://cumc.columbia.edu/dept/bgcu-md/> and www.msihmd.org.

MA OR CERTIFICATE IN PEACE AND CONFLICT RESOLUTION •

Various worldwide locations

The Rotary Foundation is now accepting applications for the Rotary World Peace Fellowship. Receive a full scholarship to pursue a master's degree in international studies, peace, and conflict resolution, or professional development certificate in Peace and Conflict studies at one of the seven Rotary Centers worldwide. Qualifications: committed to peace; three years' professional experience; proficient in a second language; demonstrated a commitment to world peace and conflict resolution. Deadline: 7/01/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail carly.dachis@rotary.org; phone: 847.866.3307; website: www.rotary.org/rotarycenters.

EDUCATION ENTREPRENEUR FELLOWSHIP • Various locations

The Mind Trust's Education Entrepreneur Fellowship provides talented leaders with an unprecedented opportunity to develop and launch their ideas for new education initiatives that will transform public education. Fellows receive a \$90,000 annual salary for two years. Deadline: 7/31/2009. For more information and to apply, e-mail fellowship@themindtrust.org; website: www.themindtrust.org.



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her advantage in the job market. "My mentor was extremely helpful in connecting me with those he knew in my fields of interest. He was instrumental in setting up informational interviews for me, but also allowing me to foster my relationships independently with those he knew. ... [I]n a struggling economy he often ensured that I remain hopeful and optimistic." When asked about the mentoring program itself, Jessica said, "I was hesitant about joining a 'mentoring' program, but after months of not finding my 'dream job,' I figured it could only add value to this journey I was on. I would suggest RPCVs sign up for the program if they want fresh ideas, an objective view, and support in a struggling economy."

There is no better way for a recent RPCV to learn how to navigate post-service life - including the job market, career opportunities, and education opportunities - than to talk to someone who has been in their place before. "Some of the self-doubt that's almost inevitable in a job search can be alleviated, I think, by reminders from an older RPCV that Peace Corps service is crucial to one's makeup and an invaluable asset in both the workplace and in life, in general," says Roger.

Nancy Gregory (RPCV Kyrgyzstan, 1997-2000), another one of the program's men-

tors, gives testament to the benefit of being in the program for recently COSed Volunteers: "Mentees (most often) need to be reminded that the transition back is difficult for everyone. Whether it is enrolling in graduate school or getting a job, the process can be rather lengthy. Mentors can assist by saying, 'Things (sometimes) don't happen quickly; have patience. Call me or email me if you need to talk.'"

Nancy's mentee, Hila Raen (RPCV Fiji, 2005-07), chose to go to graduate school. Together, Hila and Nancy would discuss the difficulties of graduate school and discuss Hila's papers and assignments. "Nancy has truly helped me survive graduate school," says Hila. "Graduate school has been the most challenging experience of my life and I could not have made it this far without my mentor."

Being involved with the mentoring program also offers an opportunity for mentees to become involved in their local RPCV groups and therefore continue their dedication to volunteerism and community development. Ashley Simpson (RPCV Bolivia, 2003-05), an active member of RPCVs of Washington, DC (RPCVw), worked as a mentor to Cindy McCabe (RPCV Bolivia, 2005-07), who is now the DC Mentoring Group Coordinator and the National Out-

reach Coordinator for the Climate Change/Clean Energy Committee. Ashley was able to help Cindy connect with people, jobs, and housing within the DC area. "I also gave her advice on interviewing and salary negotiation, things I learned after coming back from Peace Corps."

"Ashley just happened to be the perfect mentor for me!" says Cindy.

Many mentors and mentees remain in touch long after the mentee has settled into post-service life, and sometimes become fantastic friends. According to Nancy, "My mentee and I have become personal friends who share common interests in the Peace Corps, education, family, travel, book clubs, [and] meditation." Jessica Lampron points out that "what's more important than the career advice is the friendship that is developed because of the program."

Peace Corps' Returned Volunteer Services and the National Peace Corps Association would like to encourage any and all interested RPCVs to join the Mentoring Program by signing up and filling out the online application at www.rpcvmentoring.org. We wish you the best of luck with your readjustment.



Online RPCV Career Workshop: Effective Resume Writing

Thursday, April 23, 2009

11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m., Eastern Daylight Time



Attend this session to learn tips and techniques to help you create a powerful resume that highlights your skills and qualifications, an essential tool in gaining the attention of hiring officials!

Registration is required.

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Scroll to the bottom of the page and click "register," then complete the registration form.



RPCV CAREER CONFERENCE

TUESDAY, MAY 12 - FRIDAY, MAY 15, 2009
WASHINGTON, DC

"Nothing against our beloved ice-breakers, but you will find none at this event--just straight-forward, honest, thorough, organized, and concise information about obtaining fulfilling employment post-Peace Corps service. Every day of the career event is jam-packed with relevant and practical information for anyone transitioning into new employment post Peace Corps service. If you don't live in or around DC, the travel is worth it - COME! If you think you know everything about resume preparation, interviewing, networking, and cover letters, still COME! If it has been a few years since you COSed, there is something for you at the career event as well! If you are considering international development work opportunities, or a relocation to DC, COME!"

-February 2009 career event participant Carolyn Wright, Guatemala 2004-06

Whether you've been back a week or a year, don't miss this event. Attend four FREE days of career-development workshops and discussions for RPCVs only that include hands-on interactive workshops and a career fair with over 30 international, domestic, private and public sector organizations.

SCHEDULE:

TUESDAY, MAY 12, 2009: SHARING YOUR PEACE CORPS STORY

WEDNESDAY, MAY 13, 2009: SHARING YOUR QUALIFICATIONS

THURSDAY, MAY 14, 2009: FEDERAL EMPLOYMENT AND RPCV CAREER FAIR

FRIDAY, MAY 15, 2009: EMPLOYER INFORMATION SESSIONS

Pre-registration is required for all sessions, and attendees are responsible for their own travel, food, and lodging costs. Visit www.peacecorps.gov/rpcv/events for detailed information. To register, e-mail Returned Volunteer Services at rvsevents@peacecorps.gov. The registration deadline for RPCVs is Thursday, May 7 at midnight.

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- Present your experience as an Asian or Pacific American Peace Corps Volunteer
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